

**APPENDIX B**

**SITE SURVEY CHECKLISTS**

**SITE SURVEY CHECKLIST, FORM 1A  
LAN NEEDS ASSESSMENT**

1. Survey Location Data

- A. Name or number of LAN design project:\_\_\_\_\_
- B. Name of post:\_\_\_\_\_
- C. Name or number of building(s):\_\_\_\_\_
- D. Name or number of floor(s):\_\_\_\_\_
- E. Date survey performed:\_\_\_\_\_
- F. Name of LAN requestor:\_\_\_\_\_
- Telephone number:\_\_\_\_\_
- G. Name of person performing survey:\_\_\_\_\_
- Telephone number:\_\_\_\_\_

2. CAPR or funding for project approved:

3. Estimated user count

4. Out-of-Building connection

A. Connection to LAN's in other buildings (Yes/No)

List : \_\_\_\_\_

other : \_\_\_\_\_

buildings : \_\_\_\_\_

: \_\_\_\_\_

B. Connection to the DISN gateway (Yes/No):\_\_\_\_\_

Location of DISN gateway:\_\_\_\_\_

C. Connection to post-wide backbone (Yes/No):\_\_\_\_\_

CUITN connection already in the building (Yes/No):\_\_\_\_\_

Location of nearest CUITN attach point:\_\_\_\_\_

**SITE SURVEY CHECKLIST, FORM 1 B**  
**SERVERS**

(Make a copy for all existing and proposed Servers.)

1. Survey Location Data  
Name or number of LAN design project:\_\_\_\_\_
2. Type of Server:
  - A. Location of server  
Building name or number:\_\_\_\_\_
  - Room number:\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Number of users:\_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Type of cable used for connections:\_\_\_\_\_
  - D. Server description  
Type of computer:\_\_\_\_\_
  - Memory storage:\_\_\_\_\_
  - Storage capacity:\_\_\_\_\_
  - Operating system:\_\_\_\_\_
  - E. Location of power panel:\_\_\_\_\_
  - F. Number of direct connect terminals:\_\_\_\_\_
  - G. Number of remote terminals:\_\_\_\_\_
  - H. Network applications installed :\_\_\_\_\_
  - :\_\_\_\_\_
  - :\_\_\_\_\_
  - :\_\_\_\_\_
3. For communications Servers Only
  - A. Number of dial-up lines:\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Location of modems:\_\_\_\_\_
  - Building name or number:\_\_\_\_\_
  - Room number:\_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Number of FAX lines:\_\_\_\_\_

**SITE SURVEY CHECKLIST, FORM 1C**  
**EXISTING NETWORK EQUIPMENT**

(Make a copy for each item of existing networking equipment.)

1. Name or number of new LAN design project:\_\_\_\_\_
2. Description of existing LAN that surveyed item of equipment is part of (including spares)
  - A. Name of existing LAN or organization supported by existing LAN:\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Existing LAN type:\_\_\_\_\_  
(Token ring, Ethernet, Thicknet/10Base5, Thinnet/10Base2, uTP/10BaseT, Fiber/10BaseF, etc.)
  - C. Number of workstations connected to existing LAN:\_\_\_\_\_
  - D. Number and type(s) of servers connected to existing LAN ? :\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
  - E. Will existing servers or workstations be transferred to new LAN ? :\_\_\_\_\_
3. Description of piece of networking equipment
  - A. Type of equipment (hub, fan-out box, bridge, repeater, etc.):\_\_\_\_\_  
description:\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Manufacturer's name:\_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Product name (optional):\_\_\_\_\_
  - D. Model number:\_\_\_\_\_
  - E. Serial number:\_\_\_\_\_
  - F. Configuration/options, number and type of ports:\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
  - G. Name or number of building equipment currently installed in:\_\_\_\_\_
  - H. Name or number of floor equipment installed in:\_\_\_\_\_
  - I. Approximate location within floor of equipment:\_\_\_\_\_
  - J. Software protocols supported:\_\_\_\_\_  
(Ex. TCP/IP, TP4/CNLP, ISO CNLS(OSI), Novell IPX, Banyan Vines, AppleTalk, DECnet(Phase IV), SDLC, etc.)
  - K. Does equipment support SNMP management:\_\_\_\_\_
  - L. Is equipment compatible with and available for use with new LAN:\_\_\_\_\_

(Make a copy for the LAN Project Manager.)

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**SITE SURVEY CHECKLIST, FORM 2B**  
**BUILDING FLOOR LOCATION DATA**  
(Make a copy for each building in LAN project.)

1. Survey Location Data  
Name or number of LAN design project:\_\_\_\_\_
  
2. Floors to be served by this LAN project
  - A. Name or number of building containing these floors:\_\_\_\_\_
  
  - B. List of floors in building to be served by this LAN project:  
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**SITE SURVEY CHECKLIST, FORM 2C**  
**FLOOR COMM CLOSET LOCATION DATA**  
(Make a copy for each floor in each building in LAN project.)

1. Survey Location Data  
Name or Number of LAN design project: \_\_\_\_\_
2. List of Communications Closets
  - A. Name or number of building containing these comm closets: \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Number of floor in building containing these comm closets: \_\_\_\_\_
  - C. List of communications closets on this floor

Communications closet name	Approximate location
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**SITE SURVEY CHECKLIST, FORM 3**  
**COMMUNICATIONS CLOSET TABLE**  
(Make a copy for each Comm Closet.)

1. Survey Location Data  
Name or number of LAN design project:\_\_\_\_\_
2. Label or name for communications closet:\_\_\_\_\_
3. Location of communications closet
  - A. Post:\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Building:\_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Floor:\_\_\_\_\_
  - D. Approximate location:\_\_\_\_\_
  - E. Date prepared:\_\_\_\_\_
  - F. Name of preparer:\_\_\_\_\_
  - Telephone number:\_\_\_\_\_
4. Current Physical and Electrical Capacities
  - A. Unused rack/cabinet space (vertical inches):\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Potential rack/cabinet space:\_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Number of unused 20 amp power circuits available for LAN use:\_\_\_\_\_
  - D. HVAC : Additional ventilation required?    Yes / No
  - E. Cable routing capacity (estimated number of additional cables)  
Floor:\_\_\_\_\_
  - Ceiling:\_\_\_\_\_
  - Walls:\_\_\_\_\_
  - Cable routing obstructions in closet?    Yes / No
  - F. Lockable door to communications closet or lockable electronics cabinet?    Yes / No

**SITE SURVEY CHECKLIST, FORM 3**  
**COMMUNICATIONS CLOSET TABLE**

5. User Loads
  - A. Communications closet region floor area:\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Maximum number users per closet:\_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Initial user count:\_\_\_\_\_
  - D. 10BaseF connectors:\_\_\_\_\_
  - E. FDDI connectors:\_\_\_\_\_
6. Equipment Loads
  - A. User cable length needed (feet):\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Comm closet to BDF fiber optic cable length:\_\_\_\_\_
  - C. UTP module count for maximum number of users:\_\_\_\_\_
  - D. UTP module count for initial users:\_\_\_\_\_
  - E. 10BaseF module count:\_\_\_\_\_
  - F. FDDI module count:\_\_\_\_\_
  - G. Maximum I/O module count:\_\_\_\_\_
  - H. Number of full-sized hubs needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - I. Number of small hubs needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - J. Number of local bridges needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - K. UTP patch panels needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - L. UTP patch panel rack space needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - M. Fiber optic patch panels needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - N. Fiber optic patch panel rack space needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - O. Number of backbone cables needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - P. Backbone cable needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - Q. Rack space needed:\_\_\_\_\_

**SITE SURVEY CHECKLIST, FORM 3  
COMMUNICATIONS CLOSET TABLE**

7. Additional Physical and Electrical Requirements
- A. Additional rack/cabinet space needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Additional number of racks or cabinets needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Additional 20 amp single load circuits needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - D. Additional HVAC ventilation needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - E. Additional cable routing needs  
(number, size, location);\_\_\_\_\_
  - F. Add lockable door or lockable cabinets:\_\_\_\_\_
8. BDF Only
- A. Number of bridges in the building
  - B. Number of IOBaseF modules:\_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Number of FDDI modules:\_\_\_\_\_
  - D. Number of small hubs:\_\_\_\_\_
  - E. Number of large hubs:\_\_\_\_\_
  - F. Number of FO patch panels:\_\_\_\_\_
  - G. Rack space for small hubs:\_\_\_\_\_
  - H. Rack space for large hubs:\_\_\_\_\_
  - I. FO Patch panel rack space for backbone:\_\_\_\_\_
  - J. Total number of building backbone cables:\_\_\_\_\_
  - K. Total rack space needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - L. Additional rack/cabinet space needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - M. Additional number of racks or cabinets needed:\_\_\_\_\_

**SITE SURVEY CHECKLIST, FORM 4A  
USER WORKSTATIONS**

1. Survey Location Data  
Name or number of LAN design project:\_\_\_\_\_
2. User name and location:\_\_\_\_\_
3. Network services needed
  - A. E-mail services required?    Y / N
  - B. File server space needed (Megabytes):\_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Network printer services needed?    Y / N
  - D. Network communications services  
Dial-up line required?    Y / N  
  
FAX services required?    Y / N  
  
Direct terminal connection needed?    Y / N
  - E. Network Applications  
Word processing?    Y / N  
  
Spreadsheet processing?    Y / N  
  
Database processing?    Y / N  
  
Other office automation applications?    Y / N
  - F. Other Software Applications used  
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# **SITE SURVEY CHECKLIST, FORM 4A** **USER WORKSTATIONS**

4. Workstation type
 

A. IBM PC	[   ]
B. IBM PC compatible	[   ]
C. Apple Macintosh	[   ]
D. Other	[   ]

 specify: \_\_\_\_\_
  
5. Operating System Software
 

A. MSDOS	[   ]
version:	_____
B. Macintosh OS	[   ]
version:	_____
C. UNIX	[   ]
POSIX compliant? Yes / No	
version:	_____
D. Other	[   ]
specify:	_____ version: _____
  
6. System configuration
 

A. Main memory (megabytes):	_____
B. Disk storage capacity (megabytes):	_____
C. Expansion bus type	
ISA 8 bit	[   ]
ISA 16 bit	[   ]
EISA	[   ]
MCA	[   ]
NuBus	[   ]
Other	[   ]
specify:	_____
D. Number of unused expansion slots:	_____
E. Existing Ethernet interface	[   ]
UTP	[   ]
BNC (thinnet)	[   ]
AUI (thicknet)	[   ]
Fiber optic (ST)	[   ]
Other	[   ]
specify:	_____
F. Use 10BaseF NIC?	Yes / No
G. Use FODI NIC?	Yes / No

**SITE SURVEY FORM 4B**  
**APPLICATIONS OR DEPARTMENT SYMBOLS**

1. Survey Location Data  
Name or number of LAN design project:\_\_\_\_\_

2. Common user program/data requirements, departments, or work groups

Symbol	Application or Department Name
_____	_____
_____	_____
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**SITE SURVEY CHECKLIST, FORM 5**  
**LAN DESIGN WORK SHEET**

1. Survey Location Data  
Name or number of LAN design project:\_\_\_\_\_
2. Design Capacities
  - A. UTP connections per module:\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. 10BaseF connections per module:\_\_\_\_\_
  - C. FDDI connections (single-attach) per module:\_\_\_\_\_
  - D. I/O modules per full-sized hub:\_\_\_\_\_
  - E. I/O modules per small hub:\_\_\_\_\_
  - F. Rack space needed per full-sized hub:\_\_\_\_\_
  - G. Rack space needed per small hub:\_\_\_\_\_
  - H. Connections per UTP patch panel:\_\_\_\_\_
  - I. Rack space needed per UTP patch panel:\_\_\_\_\_
  - J. ST connections per fiber optic patch panel:\_\_\_\_\_
  - K. Rack space needed per FO patch panel:\_\_\_\_\_
  - L. Number of ports in multiport bridging hub:\_\_\_\_\_

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**LAN DESIGN WORK SHEET**

3. Module Totals for entire LAN project
  - A. Total number of UTP modules needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Total number of 1 OBaseF modules for backbone:\_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Total number of 1 OBaseF modules  
for user connections and Hybrid/FDDI:\_\_\_\_\_
  - D. Total number of FDDI modules for backbone:\_\_\_\_\_
  - E. Total number of FDDI modules for user connections:\_\_\_\_\_
  - F. Total number of 10BaseT (UTP) NICs for initial users:\_\_\_\_\_
  - G. Total number of 10BaseF (FOIRL) NICs for initial users:\_\_\_\_\_
  - H. Total number of FDDI NICs for initial users:\_\_\_\_\_
  - I. Total number of FDDI management/attach modules for Hybrid/FDDI:\_\_\_\_\_
4. Hub Totals
  - A. Total number of full-sized hubs:\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Total number of small hubs:\_\_\_\_\_
  - C. Total number of multiport bridging hubs:\_\_\_\_\_
5. Patch Panel totals
  - A. Total number of UTP patch panels:\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Total number of fiber optic patch panels:\_\_\_\_\_
6. Cable totals
  - A. Total length of user cable needed:\_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Total length of backbone cable:\_\_\_\_\_

**SITE SURVEY CHECKLIST, FORM 5**  
**LAN DESIGN WORK SHEET**

7. Server totals and costs

A. Network servers

Number of network servers needed: \_\_\_\_\_

Cost per server: \_\_\_\_\_

Total cost of network server(s): \_\_\_\_\_

B. File servers

Number of file servers needed: \_\_\_\_\_

Cost per file server: \_\_\_\_\_

Total cost of file server(s): \_\_\_\_\_

C. Application servers

Number of compute servers needed: \_\_\_\_\_

Cost per compute server: \_\_\_\_\_

Total cost of compute server(s): \_\_\_\_\_

D. Database servers

Number of database servers needed: \_\_\_\_\_

Cost per database server: \_\_\_\_\_

Total cost of database server(s): \_\_\_\_\_

E. Print servers

Number of print servers/controllers: \_\_\_\_\_

Cost per print server/controller: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of laser printers needed: \_\_\_\_\_

Cost per laser printer: \_\_\_\_\_

Total cost of print services: \_\_\_\_\_

F. Communications servers

Number of communications servers needed: \_\_\_\_\_

Cost per communications server: \_\_\_\_\_

Total cost of communications server(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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**LAN DESIGN WORK SHEET**

- G. E-Mail servers  
Number of E-mail servers needed: \_\_\_\_\_  
  
Cost per E-mail server: \_\_\_\_\_  
  
Total cost of E-mail servers: \_\_\_\_\_
8. Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS)  
Number of UPSs: \_\_\_\_\_  
  
Cost per UPS: \_\_\_\_\_  
  
Total cost of UPSs: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Design Cost Computation  
A. Individual cost totals
- |                                    |   |       |
|------------------------------------|---|-------|
| UTP module total cost              | : | _____ |
| 10BaseF module total cost          | : | _____ |
| Full-sized hub total cost          | : | _____ |
| Small-sized hub total cost         | : | _____ |
| Local bridge module total cost     | : | _____ |
| UTP patch panel total cost         | : | _____ |
| Fiber optic patch panel total cost | : | _____ |
| User cable total cost              | : | _____ |
| Backbone cable total cost          | : | _____ |
| Network server total cost          | : | _____ |
| File server total cost             | : | _____ |
| Applications server total cost     | : | _____ |
| Database server total cost         | : | _____ |
| Print server total cost            | : | _____ |
| Communications server total cost   | : | _____ |
| E-mail server total cost           | : | _____ |
| UPS total cost                     | : | _____ |
| UTP NIC total cost                 | : | _____ |

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**LAN DESIGN WORK SHEET**

10BaseF NIC total cost	:	_____
Material subtotal cost	:	_____
20% first year maintenance cost	:	_____
B. Basic Ethernet/Ethernet cost	:	_____
C. Additional Multiport Ethernet/Ethernet cost:	:	_____
D. Additional Ethernet/FDDI cost	:	_____
E. Additional Hybrid/FDDI cost	:	_____